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of the residents of
Champion and District.**

The Booster's Club hospital meeting in the Community hall last Saturday was largely attended and all present seemed to be thoroughly enthusiastic about the plans and proposals put forth. They seemed to realize that we have been very backward in our civic activities, particularly concerning such an enterprise. So let's all start boasting NOW, it's not too late.

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E. Cemulini Succumbs

The death occurred at an early hour Tuesday morning of a heart attack of Ermengilda Cemulini, proprietor of the Savoy hotel here. Funeral in charge of Martin Bros. will be held at Lethbridge on Friday afternoon.

Cemulini was born in 1886 in Sedgwick, Italy, and came to Canada in 1908 settling at Michel B. C. and two years later moved to Lethbridge where he ran a second hand store. He then moved to Lethbridge entering the hotel and farming business and in 1928 moved to Champion where he purchased the Savoy hotel.

He later sold the hotel and returned to Italy remaining there until 1931 when he came back and re-purchased the business. He had operated it successfully for many years.

One best wishes and congratulations to the new proprietors, Edith and Guy Dow.

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Bill Borrell became grandpa the other day. Nuff said.

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Large Crowd Attend Annual Gathering

The event of the season, the Old Timer's Ball took place last Friday evening. Sponsored by the Cleverville Pioneer Club and held in the Champion Community hall, the dance attended by over two hundred and forty persons was one of the best of their annual gatherings ever held.

Mr. R. S. Bond, retiring president, occupied the chair and presented an excellent program consisting of the following items:

Leonard Isaacs, guitar and yodelling; Marjorie Datto, solo and tap dance; Martin Matlock, solo; Betty and June Ashmore, duet; Marjorie Ferguson, violin solo accompanied by Margaret Patterson; Ann Lee, dance; "Sailor's Hornpipe"; Max Caldwell, piano solo; Rex Caldwell, tap dance; John Miller, recitation; Art Hiphaks, speech.

Mrs R. S. Bond, recitation.

After the program a business meeting was held and the following officers elected for the year 1937-38: Pres., Walter Neilson; Vice Pres., Geo. Baldwin; Mrs. F. C. Alecock resigned as secretary and was replaced by G. K. McLean. Directors, Geo Alecock, Art Hopkins and Norman Carlson.

The remainder of the time until supper, after the business meeting was spent in dancing to music supplied by B. Hummel, F. Little, M. Gottenberg, J. Anderson and F. Clever. Art Hopkins proved a most capable floor manager.

At midnight a number of the ladies served an excellent lunch consisting of sandwiches, soup and cake.

After supper the customary intermission was called in which both young and old timers entertained the crowd with tap dances. The dancing was resumed and continued until 3:30 when the old timers departed for their homes tired but happy after such an enjoyable meeting.

Relief Discussed

At Municipal Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the council of the Municipal District of Harmony was held in the Municipal office on Thursday. Steve Griffin presided. All documents were discussed and their allowances increased for the month of April but after April 30th all relief will be discontinued. The mill rate for the current year was fixed at 7 mills. A parcel of land was offered for sale as a contribution to the building as well as money.

The cost of the hospital with complete equipment would be approximately \$5000. To-day the M. D. population in the area included in the village was 207 or 32% of the population to be served. At the same time the assessed value of the buildings and their allowances were increased for the month of April but after April 30th all relief will be discontinued. The mill rate for the current year was fixed at 7 mills.

The buildings were assessed as unoccupied and were maped. The boosters stated that they did not wish to oppose the plan of any other district but they felt that the proposed mill rate was reasonable.

A vote was taken to obtain the raters view on the question and every hand with the exception of one or two was raised in favor of proceeding with the hospital scheme. In consequence it will be put to a vote and if accepted, plans will be proceeded with immediately.

Mr. and Mrs. Bright Robinson of Carmangay visited Mr. Barwell who is a patient in the local hospital, on Sunday of last week.

Champion Theatre

Wednesday, April, 14th 1937

Public Enemy's Wife

With
Pat O'Brien and
Margaret Lindsay

Wednesday, April 14th - Show at 8.30

Miss Augusta McNaughton, teacher at Fireguard, held school last week, in order to make up a few days lost during the winter.

Don't forget the Old Time service to be held in the Alton Community hall this Friday, April 9th.

The church of England service on Sunday afternoon was the occasion for a christening ceremony, when the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stango received the names, Loretta Edith Mr. and Mrs. George Alecock and Mrs. Stango were the sponsors.



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The Champion Chronicle

L. A. STARCK
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Thursday, April 8, 1937

The continual foggy weather has caused several to go back to 1916 when the spring was similar and predictions are many that such a crop year will follow. This means a real crop, and with the event of good prices for grain prevailing, much of the old optimism has returned. Every farmer is endeavoring to put as much acreage in as possible. Weather conditions at the equinox were also very favorable for a wet season.

Joe McNaughton, who spent the week end at his home here returned to Calgary Monday evening. Mr. McNaughton is a member of the Drama Radio School and can be heard over CFCM every Tuesday evening at nine o'clock. He has appeared in several plays during the past two months and is making a very favorable impression.

H. Higgins and Miss Helen Higgins returned Sunday from a motor trip to Falun, Alberta, the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. Vassys. Mr. Higgins reported that the highways were in very good shape, but by road presented difficulties. For example on the trip made driving very difficult due to it freezing on windshields, necessitating several stops in order to clear same.

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Following the old "Times" tradition Friday night a letter was received from Raymond Davis, stating that he had attended the dance and enjoyed the evening in the utmost. He had never attended a dance in Champion before. Friday evening the annual Easter Bonnet and celebration held in Champion in 1933, driving home the same evening, a distance of 20 miles, with a team. Mr. Davis spoke highly of the hall and also commented on the bonnets. Mr. Davis formerly farmed N.W. 22-17-24, living near Mr. and Mrs. Al Little of Stavely.

Mrs. P. Daub of Glenview visited at the homes of her daughters, Mrs. Max Groves and Mrs. Clara Ashmore. Mrs. Ashmore is returning home with her mother Saturday where she spent the week end.

Local & General

W. M. Diemert was a business visitor to Lethbridge Monday.

Girl's Slacks in terry cloth and the new Coronation trim, \$1.50 pair at Campbell's.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Smith were visitors in Barnwell over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Watts and Patricia spent the week end at Namaqua.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Stetto of Clare-Holm spent a few days in town last week visiting friends.

W. Barwell and R. Schultz were discharged from the local hospital on Tuesday.

Men's Work Shirts, real values from 98c up at Campbel's.

J. Gittel was unfortunate in falling while competing in a race last week and sprained his wrist.

Miss Louretta Clever was a dinner hostess on Sunday when she entertained six young people.

Mrs. Mary Woodhull, who spent the holidays in Cardston returned to Champion Saturday.

Miss Katherine Gottenberg is making favorable progress following an operation for appendicitis Friday night in the local hospital.

Mrs. Adam Ferguson has been confined to her bed for the past five weeks, due to illness. Her progress at the present is favorable.

Miss Leah Miller was a Calgary visitor last week, accompanying Hon. Peter Dawson, M.L.A. to that joint on Sunday last.

Peter Gill is making plans at present for a trip to Honolulu. He will sail from Vancouver in August on the Empress of Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Burns of Pincher Creek are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Barbara Jean, on Monday, March 29th. Mrs. Burns was formerly Miss Jean McEvoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henry are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter (8 lbs) in Chicago on Saturday, April 3rd. Mrs. Henry was formerly Miss Helen Bozarth. Mr. Henry is known in this district and Lethbridge having been engaged in oil operations in the south.

Mrs. A. W. Jopling will be hostess to the Women's Institute at their April meeting on Tuesday next. Subject for the programme is "Legislation," by Mrs. Peter Dawson. Recall—Laws which every woman should know. Mrs. E. H. Freeze will give the report on the recent District Conference held in Lethbridge.

The bi-monthly meeting of the local Y. P. A. was held in the basement of the Community Hall last Monday evening. About 35 members were in attendance. The evening was spent in playing cards, whist and dancing. The ladies' and gentlemen's high, won by Mrs. J. Kulpas and R. Latiff were acknowledged during the supper, and both of the winners fittingly responded.

Jerry Fath was host to a number of young people on Sunday, March 26th, when he entertained in honor of his seventeenth birthday. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent and the guests were laud in their praise of the birthday cake which was baked by Jerry. Guests included Miss Louretta Clever, Miss Ruth Fath, Miss Dorothy Dutton, Philip Fath, Harold Boeh, Miss Margaret Fath, Raymond Fath, Miss Esther Olson and Miss Auctua Wiiss.

A. McCULLOUGH

Appointed President

A. McCullough was appointed president of the Champion Girl Club at a most enthusiastic meeting held last week. Other officers appointed were: Hon. Pres., M. G. Clever; Hon. Vice Pres., M. S. Alex; Sec. Tres., G. L. Depue; Cap. Tain, F. W. Clever.

Plans were made for an active season this summer and with practically no expenditures to be made everything should be favorable for same. Fees were set at \$3.00 and \$1.00.

Work to get the course in the best possible shape for the season's activities will start as soon as weather permits.

The Western Petroleum Refiners' Association is making the claim that two policies must be initiated quickly to provide a secondary highway system and bridge the date the main system will already be built. The progressive association, their investigation state, is to end the practice of diverting highway funds to non highway purposes, such as the construction of unreasonably expensive roads.

Highway funds, they estimate, are diverted to other purposes in recent years would have built 30 miles of highway and in every unit of the United States. The proposed legislation would prohibit the diversion of highway funds to non highway purposes which, carrying relatively little traffic, would have built another 80 miles per county at the same cost.

For railroads being conducted 13 public roads bureaus and government highway departments are to provide information for logical planning of highways according to traffic needs. Existing opposition of motorists is already resulting in constitutional prohibitions against diversion of money of tax jurisdictions. Art. 9

CORRECTION

Mrs. J. Beauf of Calgary was not a Champion visitor as was stated in last week's issue.

Mrs. Scholey of Lethbridge was a guest at the home of his daughter, Mrs. G. Unquhart recently.

Andrew Anderson of Lethbridge was a week end visitor in town.

Mrs. E. H. Freeze left Thursday for Lethbridge where she attended the district No. 4 conference of the Women's Institute. While in the city she was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moffatt.

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